

CADETS MAY BECOME U.S.A. RESERVE CORPS

New Officers Plan to Make
M.U. Military School
a Federal Unit.

MAY TRAIN AVIATORS

Government Will Furnish
All Equipment—No
Enlistment Required.

Formal application is all that is necessary for the University of Missouri Cadet Corps to become a unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps of the United States Army. The University corps meets practically every requirement, according to Major Chas. W. Castle, who is teaching here. Application may be made soon.

The Reserve Officers' Corps is a result of the passage of the army reorganization bill June 3, 1916. Military units attaining a specified standard of efficiency and organization compose the corps. It will furnish temporary officers for the regular army, also quartermasters, staff and volunteer officers in time of war.

"The most valuable feature of joining this corps is that the Government will furnish all equipment, as it does for the National Guard," said Major Castle this morning. "The equipment should include field instruments such as wireless outfits for the signal corps and tools for all other branches of the service established here."

"Only three hours' training a week is specified in the bill, which is the amount required of the University Cadet Corps. No enlistment contracts are necessary. The corps was originated to connect the United States Army with all well conducted military institutions with a view of making an efficient military system."

The entrance of the University corps into the reserve corps will call for the commissioned and non-commissioned staff to be organized into a headquarters company. The officers and non-commissioned officers detailed for service in the army and supply rooms will form the supply company.

"If it is possible, we will form an aviation unit. It may be that the equipment furnished reserve corps will include an aeroplane."

Plans are also under consideration for the forming of an engineering detachment. Intrenchments, military typography and the construction of improvised military bridges would be studied in this detachment.

An important change in the formation of the regiment, made by Lieutenant Joseph F. King, is the distributing of the smaller companies at a central point in the regiment instead of at one end. The custom in past years has been to have the tallest men in Company A and the shortest men in Company H, the last unit in the regiment.

"In regimental parades," said Lieutenant King, "the post of the reviewing officer is directly opposite the center of the regiment. By placing the tallest men at the ends the problem of correct perspective is thus solved, for, as the reviewing officer looks toward the ends of the line, the height of the men increases. All the men seem to be the same."

Dr. Whitten Talks to Ag. Club.

Prof. J. C. Whitten in an informal talk before the Agricultural Club in the Agricultural Auditorium last night, told of the growth and development of the College of Agriculture since he came here 22 years ago. "There were but two professors, one assistant and 58 students in the College at that time, and only four of those students completed the course," said Dr. Whitten. After the talk the date for the annual barnwarming was set for October 20. It will be held at the Rothwell Gymnasium.

SPORT

NEWS and COMMENT

That Schulte intends to give every man a chance to show his wares was "strikingly" shown by yesterday's forty-minute scrimmage. The lineup of the two opposing teams was shifted every few minutes, but that did not prevent the men from having one of the scrappiest afternoons of the season. The men were full of the fighting spirit—almost too full—for this spirit nearly led to fist encounters. Perhaps the weather was to blame, for it was the first football weather of the season.

The veteran backfield, for the few minutes it played together, showed well, but the shifts were so frequent and so varied that there was little chance to develop team play. Few new plays were tried. Several more or less successful delayed passes were used, and one of the two forward passes was completed.

Rutledge and Stankowski, the two quarterbacks, vied with each other in brilliant playing, though the scrappy little Pole outshone his more experienced rival. Groves, too, showed improvement in his backfield play and gave promise of developing the speed and power expected of him.

The fierce tackling of Bill Collins was a thorn in the side of the regulars for they made only a few advances around his end. Haines made some good gains during his stay in the game but he lost ground at times and showed a lack of scrap. He got little chance to punt. Collins displayed his versatility by some good kicks. Pittam also booted well.

The work of the two lines was ragged during most of the play. More attention was given to individual play than to team work. Muir from his tackle position broke through the scrubs' line several times and disposed of the secondary defense. Van Dyne was opening holes a mile wide at the other tackle.

"Germany" Schulz and Clevenger are having unexpected success in developing the Kansas Aggie team this season. Early season reports from the Manhattan school are unusually encouraging.

Missouri alumni in Oklahoma are planning a reunion to be held in Oklahoma City when the Tigers play the Sooners at Norman. This reunion will consist of a dinner and get-together meeting of the Oklahoma students at the University of Missouri and the alumni. As Oklahoma City is but eighteen miles north of Norman, it will be possible for the students to attend the reunion and return that night. If the plan this year succeeds, it will make the third time the Tiger-Sooner game has been followed by a Missouri alumni dinner.

Promptly at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the freshman and the Varsity teams will line up against each other on Rollins Field and give the fans the first taste of real football this season. The first-year men have some husky young players in their squad and promise to give the regulars a lively afternoon. It will afford the first real test of Schulte's offensive and will give him some chance to develop team play as well. Secret practice with occasional scrimmages with the freshmen will constitute the program for the Varsity next week in the preparation for the game with Central College a week from tomorrow.

CHRISTIANS TO HOLD MEETING

500 Delegates From Boone County to Attend Church Sessions.

The Boone County Christian Cooperation of Christian Churches will hold a two-day session October 3 at the Columbia Christian Church. Sixteen churches of the County will be represented by 500 delegates. Dinner and supper will be served both days.

J. H. Reid of Columbia, is secretary of the organization. Other officers are: President, A. W. Hulen; Treasurer, W. F. Robinson of Hallsville.

Several Columbians are on the program, which will open Tuesday morning with a devotional talk by F. W. Allen, followed by the welcome, by the Rev. M. A. Hart, pastor of the Christian Church, H. O. Severance will talk on "The Larger Co-Operation."

The afternoon program will include an address by Mrs. Nelson H. Trimble; duet, Mrs. Ballenger and Miss Monroe and a solo by Mrs. Berkeley Estes. W. S. St. Clair will lead the devotional at the evening service. Special music will be given by the Alexander Quartette, followed by an illustrated lecture by J. Kelley Wright.

The Wednesday program will include two addresses "The Mission of the Church," by A. J. Bush, and "Christ's Purpose in the Church" by the Rev. A. W. Pasley. The session will close with a talk on the Big Brother movement by Prof. W. C. Gibbs.

Selbie, U. H. S. Athletic Instructor. F. D. Selbie, a sophomore in the University, has been engaged as instructor in all branches of physical training for boys in the University High School. About eighteen men are out for football. Although Selbie is not a football coach, he will give his attention to it for the next few months.

Circuit Court Opens Monday. The case of the Columbia Feed and Grain Company against the American Central Insurance Company, is the only trial case on the docket for Monday, the opening day of Circuit Court.

M. U. BUILDINGS ARE IMPROVED

Overhauling of Water and Heating Systems Assures Efficiency.

Several improvements in the water and heating plants of the University are now being made under the direction of A. L. Westcott, superintendent of buildings.

A new steam turbine and generator of 200 kilowatt capacity and two more boilers are being installed. One boiler is new, with a capacity of 300 horsepower, and the other, which is second-hand, is of 150 horsepower. The additions will make the total capacity of the plant 1,600 horsepower.

Mr. Westcott says that agricultural students will be sure of a warm building this winter. Other minor improvements are being made at the Horticultural Building.

The work of installing the new pump for deep well No. 2, one of the sources of the University's water supply, has been delayed because some of the apparatus failed to arrive. The old pump went to pieces last August, while in operation.

MAY ALLOW HURDLE RECORDS

A. A. U. Committee Sends For Data on Simpson's Performances. Simpson's world record of 14 3-5 seconds in the high hurdles and tie of 23 3-5 in the low will probably be recognized about the first of December.

The A. A. U. record committee will meet November 20 to pass on the records made last season, and a communication has been received here asking for data on the performance of the M. U. athlete. The data must mention the time of the meet in hours and minutes, height of the hurdles and whether they were standing after the completion of the race, the weather condition of the track, the surveyor's certificate as to the length of the track and, finally, the data must be signed by six of the officials of the meet.

New York Motorists Here. Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stone of New York were in Columbia Wednesday. They are making a motor tour which will take them around the world. Their trip is made to advertise tires. Besides advertisements of the tires and several New York business firms, their car bears a picture of the Statue of Liberty.

CITY AND CAMPUS

The freshman Bible class of the Presbyterian Sunday School will have a wiener roast Friday evening west of town. L. H. Capehart is the teacher of the class.

Artistides Monteiro of Brazil, a student in the School of Journalism, was elected president of the Cosmopolitan Club at a meeting Wednesday. He succeeds John Wallace, now in the British army.

The Junior Engineers elected their officers for this session last night and made plans for entertaining the whole engineering department next Saturday evening. Emmet Elder was elected president, Frank P. Matthews, vice-president; Frank Shelton, secretary, and Paul W. Miller, treasurer.

H. B. Baker, a student in the School of Medicine, left this morning for St. Louis.

Ralph Dodson is spending the week-end in Kansas City.

Morris E. Jacobs, a former student in the School of Journalism, left last night for Springfield, Ill., where he has accepted a position on the State Journal.

The "old girls" of Read Hall have issued invitations to the "new girls" in the Hall for a children's party Saturday night. All the guests and hostesses will appear in the short skirts and hair-ribbons appropriate to little girls, and the evening will be spent in games.

There will be a meeting of all University women interested in campfire work at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Room 209, Academic Hall. Miss Stella Gartman is the campfire president. Miss Bertha Brandt is to be guardian.

Mrs. Norris Fine, 1617 Bass avenue, went to New Madrid Wednesday to visit her father, D. B. Riley.

Mrs. T. W. Whittle and daughter, Miss Sybil, 1400 Bass avenue, went to St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

J. S. Ankeney, professor in theory and practice of art, who has been confined to his home this week with asthma, is improved today. He will probably meet his classes Monday.

J. D. Elliff, professor of School Administration and High School Visitor of the University, returned today from a two weeks' inspection trip of the schools in and around Kansas City.

Mrs. George A. Evans went to Centralia this morning to meet her two nieces from New York, who will visit in Columbia.

Mrs. George T. Grant and daughter, Virginia Dare, went to St. Louis today to visit friends.

Mrs. J. P. Brown went to Centralia this morning.

Mrs. J. M. Nichols returned to her home at Centralia this morning. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Everett Buckler.

Mrs. J. P. Anthony went to Centralia this morning to visit at the home of R. W. Zaring.

Leslie Faucett returned to Hallsville this morning.

Richard Judy left for Kansas City this morning.

Derby Bass, Dr. P. H. Murry, Roy Murry and W. E. Glenn went to Cen-

tralia this morning to attend a sale of the Central Missouri Hereford Association.

Miss Jewell Cunningham left this morning for Canyon City, Colo., where she will join her parents and spend the winter.

J. H. Degginger, a student in the University, went to his home at Albany today to spend the week-end.

B. F. Goslin went to Mexico, Mo., this morning.

Miss Ruth Ebaugh and Mrs. J. T. Nevins left for St. Louis today to attend the wedding of Miss Arline Shackelford. Miss Shackelford is to be married to Mr. Reed of St. Louis.

Mrs. M. F. Albright returned today to her home at Pearl, Ill., after attending the funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Northcutt.

Noble E. Wade left this morning to resume his work in the dental department of the St. Louis University. Mr. Wade spent the summer in Columbia.

Miss Addie D. Root, supervisor of Boys' and Girls' Clubs, left Wednesday for St. Joseph to visit the sewing clubs of Buchanan County.

Mrs. Omar King left yesterday for Moberly where she will visit her mother, Mrs. George Mitchell.

George F. Williams, vice-president of the American Coal and Material Company of Kansas City, was in Columbia yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Berkebile left for St. Louis yesterday afternoon, after a visit to Mr. Berkebile's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Berkebile, 1512 Bass avenue.

At Stephens College

Miss Madeline Flint, head of the art department, returned Thursday from Sedalia, where she judged the art exhibit at the State Fair.

The junior class organized Monday night and the following class officers were elected: President, Jewell Morlan, Urich, Mo.; Vice-president, Eunice Drake, Rochepoint, Mo.; Secretary, Ruth Quigley, Tipton, Mo. The class chose Miss Eva McKinley West of the College Faculty as their sponsor.

Mrs. B. S. Graham, of Urich, Mo., and Mrs. John Miller of Columbia were the guests of Miss Robena Clehouse at dinner Monday evening.

The second Y. W. C. A. meeting of the year was held in the library of the College at seven o'clock Thursday evening, with Miss Hildred Williams as leader. The subject was "The Purpose of Our Y. W. C. A."

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kinyon were dinner guests of President and Mrs. James M. Wood last night.

Will Talk on State Hall of Fame. "In Missouri's Hall of Fame" will be the subject of the talk to be given by Dean Walter Williams of the School of Journalism at the Missouri Day exercises at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening in the University Auditorium. There will also be music by the University band. The public is invited.

Blanche Sweet, Mutt and Jeff and Farmer Alfalfa will entertain tonight and Saturday at the Columbia Theatre. C. 24.

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